476.W-AB No. 0651–0011 (12/31/86) ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. DIVISION-CONTINUATION PROGRAM APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL FORM 3:21:amd ANTICIPATED CLASSIFICATION OF THIS APPLICATION: CLASS SUBCLASS PRIOR APPLICATION: EXAMINER ART UNIT 3:21:amd 336 Dalton Truluck 128 To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: This is a request for filing a 🗵 continuation 🔲 divisional application under 37 CFR 1.60, of pending prior a March 13 19_87 25,736 filed on application serial no. _ ENDOVASCULAR STENT AND DELIVERY Cesare Gianturco Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor signed prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the latest inventor signed prior as originally filed on _____March 13 25,736 application serial no. _ further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and fruther that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon. (5) Calculations (4) Rate (3) Number extra Claims (2) Number filed (1) For Total Claims \$ 0 0 X \$12.00 - 20= Independent X \$34.00 136.00 3= Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable) +\$110.00 0 n se jug jung-angerangerangen mingerangen maganiser managan maganiser m Basic Fee + \$340.00 476.00 Total of above Caculations = Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) 0 if applicable, affidavit must be filed also. 476.00 Total National Fee 2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any over-23-3030 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. payment to Deposit Account No. 476.00 3. A check in the amount of \$ _ 1-27 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must

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5. X Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a

6. Transfer the drawings from the pending prior application to this application and abandon said prior.

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